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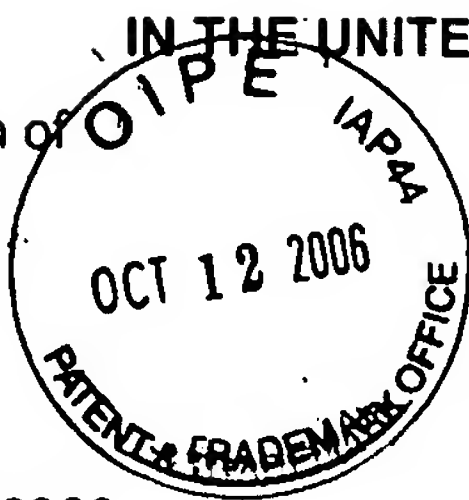
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Title: A DIRECTORY SYSTEM

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Sir:

**RESPONSE**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

☐ **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.****Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment 0 minus highest number  
previously paid for 20 (at least 20) = 0 x \$50.00 \$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$

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If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add  
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☐ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ Statement filed herewith

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In response to the Office Action dated 09/20/2006 finding that applicant has claimed three patentably distinct inventions (i.e., no one of which is made "obvious" in view of any other or combination of others under 35 U.S.C. §103), applicant hereby elects for further substantive examination in the present application the patentably distinct Invention I comprising claims 1-79.

Respectfully submitted,

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